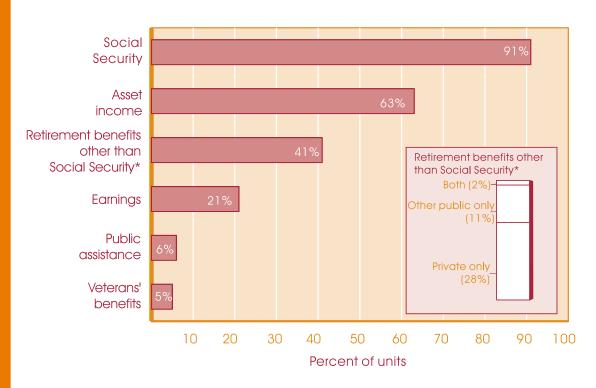
Social Security is a source of income for nearly all the aged

More than 9 out of 10 aged units receive Social Security benefits. Asset income is the next most common source of income, received by nearly two-thirds of the aged. Less than half (41%) receive pensions other than Social Security, and only 21% have earnings. Public assistance is received by 6% and veterans' benefits by only 5%.



^{*}Includes private pensions and annuities, government employee pensions, Railroad Retirement, and IRA, Keogh, and 401(k) payments.